FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20554

July 18, 2011

IN REPLY REFER TO: 1800B3-FMH

John A. Laudadio Horizon Christian Fellowship 5331 Mt. Alifan Drive San Diego, CA 92111

In re:

KCVD(FM), New England, ND

Facility ID No. 164305 Silent Since May 7, 2011

Request For Special Temporary Authority To Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Laudadio:

This letter concerns the request, filed on May 20, 2011, on behalf of Horizon Christian Fellowship ("Horizon"), for Special Temporary Authority to permit FM Station KCVD to remain silent.

Horizon's request states that KCVD(FM) went silent on May 7, 2011, for financial reasons. Horizon's request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.¹

Horizon's request will be granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station KCVD(FM) to remain silent for a period not to exceed 180 days from the date of this letter. Notwithstanding the grant of this special temporary authority, the broadcast license for KCVD(FM) will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 am., May 8, 2012.² See Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. Section 312(g).

The station's silent status does not suspend the licensee's obligation to comply with all other relevant Commission rules, including the filing, when appropriate, of applications for renewal of broadcast license. Finally, we note that it is imperative to

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¹ In the event extension of special temporary authority is sought, please renew the certification in this matter.

² Notification of resumption of broadcast operations must be mailed to:

the safety of air navigation that any prescribed painting and illumination of the station's tower shall be maintained until removed. *See* 47 C.F.R. Sections 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).

Sincerely.

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cc: Harry C. Martin, Esq.